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G.O.(Ms.)No.160/2025/Home. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram 25th August, 2025,

S. R. O. No. 999/2025 09th Chingam, 1201,

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In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 21(1) of The Prohibition of Employment as Manual Scavengers and Central Their Rehabilitation Act, 2013 (Central Act 25 of 2013), the Government of Kerala hereby confer, the powers of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, on an

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Executive Magistrate of the rank of the Sub Divisional Magistrate, for the trial of offenses under the said Act and complying the direction of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP(C) No.324/2020.

By order of the Governor,

BISHWANATH SINHA

Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

Section 21(1) of The Prohibition of Employment as Manual Scavengers and Central Their Rehabilitation Act, 2013 (Central Act 25 of 2013), provided that the State Government may confer, on an Executive Magistrate, the powers of a Judicial Magistrate of the First Class for the trial of offenses under this Act. In view of above, Government have decided to confer on an Executive Magistrate of the rank of the Sub Divisional Magistrate, the powers of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, for the trial of offenses under the said Act and complying the direction of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP(C) No.324/2020.

This notification is intended to achieve the above objective.

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